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MR TIM BRYANT
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RE: Site Management Activity Completed, Mi-Laura Farm, Pawlet, Vermont (site #98-2577)

Dear Mr. Bryant:

The Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation, Sites Management Section (SMS) has received and reviewed the March 1999 report and June 10, 1999 letter from Griffin International, Inc. (Griffin) concerning the above referenced site. Based on a review of the file, the current conditions at this site and the results of the Griffin report and letter, the SMS has determined that this site meets the Waste Management Division's Sites Management Activities Complete (SMAC) policy.

This means that the SMS has determined the following:

- the source of the potential contamination at this site has been adequately characterized and closed (the 1,000 gallon underground storage tank has been removed and the five cubic yards of contaminated soils have been treated and thin-spread on site);
- all groundwater in the four monitoring wells on site are below Vermont Groundwater Enforcement Standards;
- the site does not pose an unreasonable risk to human health or the environment.

Based on these findings, the site has been assigned a Site Management Activities Completed (SMAC) designation. Sites which the Waste Management Division has determined require no further management are classified as SMAC. This designation does not release you from any past or future liability which may arise from the contamination which originated from the floor drains at this site. It does mean that the SMS is not requiring any additional work be performed at this site in response to the 1996 release. If any additional information comes to light in the

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future, then the SMS may reconsider this determination.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact Richard Spiese or me at (802) 241-3888.

Sincerely,

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